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## **Public Notice – Closure of Environmental Case**

This will serve as notice that the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region (Central Valley Water Board) will be soliciting comments from the public regarding the pending closure of an environmental case at 2700 Gateway Drive, Anderson, California (Site).

### **SUBJECT SITE:**

Former USA Service Station #3572  
2700 Gateway Drive, Anderson, Shasta County

**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION COMMENT PERIOD: 30 November 2016 through  
28 January 2017**

### **SUMMARY:**

The Central Valley Water Board currently regulates an environmental case at the subject property regarding a historical release of gasoline. The Site is an active commercial petroleum fueling facility. An unauthorized release was discovered at the Site in October 1993 during the removal of three underground storage tanks (USTs). The tanks were replaced by a double walled system.

Subsequently a case was opened with the Central Valley Water Board (Beacon Station No. 572 Case #450150). Approximately 900 cubic yards of impacted soil was removed during UST removal activities. During 1993 and 1994, four shallow monitoring wells and one recovery well were installed and sampled. Low levels of gasoline were detected in the vicinity of the former tank basin. The Beacon Station No. 572 Case #450150 was closed in August 1995.

In September 2006, five direct push soil borings were advanced as part of a site assessment for a pending real estate transaction. Because groundwater impacts were detected in two borings, a second unauthorized release report was submitted to Shasta County in November 2006. Central Valley Water Board became the lead agency in March 2015. Subsequently, a site assessment, which included installation of five monitoring wells, was conducted in October 2015. Soil results indicated low levels of petroleum hydrocarbons between 5 and 7 feet below ground surface. Groundwater sampling results also indicate low levels of petroleum hydrocarbons in two monitoring wells. However, groundwater contamination is limited to the area adjacent to the dispenser islands. As such, the Site appears to meet the criteria of the State Water Resources Control Board's 'Low Threat Closure Policy'. Given these conditions, the Central Valley Water Board is recommending that the environmental case on the subject property be closed.

### **WHERE DO I GET MORE INFORMATION?**

General Information regarding the Site can be obtained from the State Water Board's GeoTracker web site at:

[http://geotracker.waterboards.ca.gov/profile\\_report.asp?global\\_id=T10000007299](http://geotracker.waterboards.ca.gov/profile_report.asp?global_id=T10000007299)

All interested agencies, groups and persons wishing to comment on the pending case closure must provide these comments in writing. The comments should be submitted by **28 January 2017** to the Central Valley Water Board's office at 364 Knollcrest Drive, Suite 205, Redding, CA 96002. For information, please call Melissa Buciak at (530) 224-4854, or contact her by e-mail at [mbuciak@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:mbuciak@waterboards.ca.gov)